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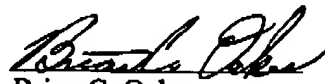
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108. (Amended) The method as claimed in Claim [108] ~~107~~, further including encrypting transmission of all customer data between said secure web server and said dispatch server using RSA encryption, and encrypting transmission of all customer data between said secure web server and said client web browser using SSL encryption.

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109. (Amended) The method as claimed in Claim [109] ~~108~~, further including encrypting each client request from said web browser with a public key provided by said communications network, and each of said client requests includes an encrypted client cookie for client authentication.

REMARKS

By the foregoing amendments, claims 1-43, 45-97 and 99-109 are presented for examination. Claims 44 and 98 have been canceled. The amendments to the claims have been made only to clarify the presently claimed invention and not for purposes of overcoming any art rejection of the claims. Applicant respectfully requests prompt examination and allowance of this application. If the Office feels that it is necessary for further discussion, the undersigned attorney can be reached at (202) 736-6371.

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The foregoing amendments to the specification have been made to correct the references to application numbers made in the preliminary amendment filed December 2, 2000. Applicant respectfully requests prompt examination and allowance of this application. If the Office feels that it necessary for further discussion, the undersigned attorney can be reached at (202) 736-6371.

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